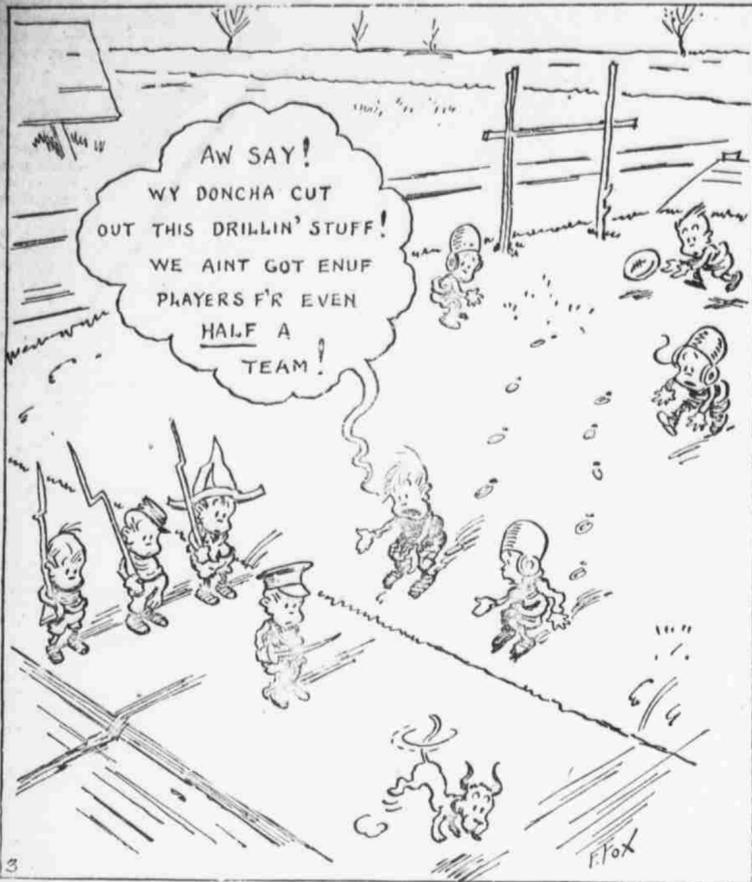


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Wit and Wisdom of a Busy World

CARTOONS

BIG COLLEGES AREN'T THE ONLY ONES WHOSE FOOTBALL SQUADS HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY THE WAR



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Increasing His Difficulties



—London Opinion.

Misunderstood

Sweet Little Maiden—Is there a letter for me? Postoffice Clerk—Who's me? Sweet Little Maiden—I'm Gladys Cummin. Postoffice Clerk—Yes, I dare say you are glad he's coming; but what's your name? Sweet Little Maiden—How dare you? My name is Gladys Cummin. Postoffice Clerk—Oh—oh—I beg your pardon.—Pearson's Weekly.

Pat's Solution

Professor—Pat, what is your solution to the world problem? Pat—Well, sir, I think we should have a world democracy—with an Irishman for king.—Life.

Accuracy

An American editor had a notice stuck above his desk that read: "Accuracy! Accuracy! Accuracy!" and this notice he always pointed out to the new reporters.

One day the youngest member of the staff came in with his report of a public meeting. The editor read it through and came to the sentence: "Three thousand nine hundred and ninety-nine eyes were fixed upon the speaker."

"What do you mean by making a silly blunder like that?" he demanded wrathfully.

"But it's not a blunder," protested the youngster. "There was a one-eyed man in the audience."—Tit-Bits.

Military Consultation

At a certain military depot an obvious malingering attendant attended the regimental doctor for examination. His tale of woe was, however, laid on too thick—what with a weak heart, corns, lumbago, etc.

The shrewd doctor, patting him on the shoulder, said to him: "My poor fellow, go to France and get shot out of your misery."—Journal American Medical Association.

An Incident at the Gee-Whiz Film Company's Studios



—The Evening Show.

Affectionate

She was exhibiting her pet dog to her bashful admirer. "Is he affectionate?" he asked. "Is he affectionate?" she repeated archly. "Indeed he is! Hecce, Bruno! Come, good doggie, and show Charlie Smith how to kiss me."—Answers.

The Young Lady Across the Way



—Answers.

First Aid

Voice—Is the doctor in? The New Maid—No, 'e ain't! Voice—Will you give him a message, please? Tell him that Mrs. Dan-Brown has a Belgian gymkhana coming on and wants to know if he can do anything to help.

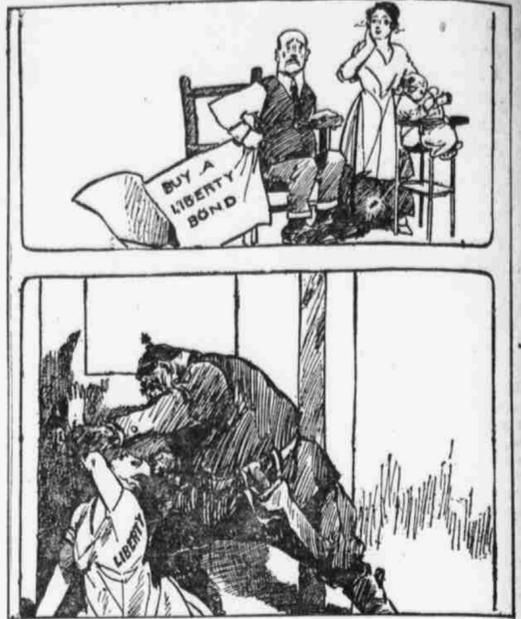
The New Maid—Ah, dearie, have ye now? Ye can't do wrong with a brand position and I'll tell 'em when 'e comes in.—Sydney Wilson.

SCHOOL DAYS



GET BUSY

Goldsmith, in Boston Globe.



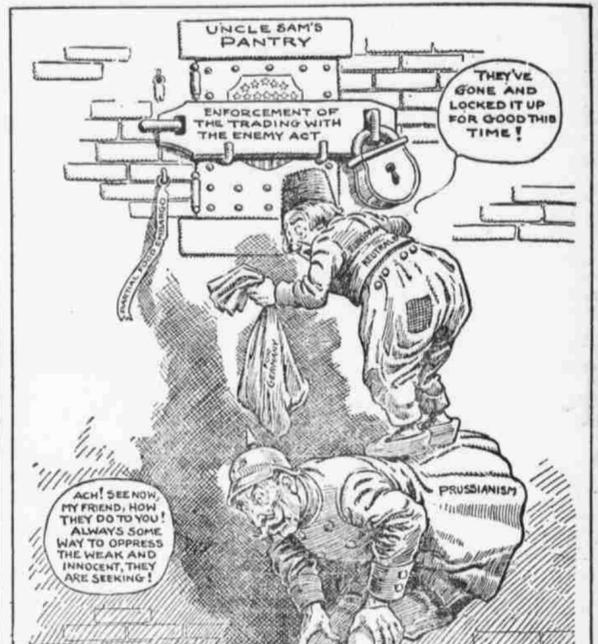
LISTEN, THERE'S SOME ONE AT YOUR DOOR

Donahay, in Cleveland Plain Dealer.



"WILT THOU HAVE THIS MAN?"

Williams, in London Opinion.



BURGLAR PROOF

Burnett, in Los Angeles, Cal. Tribune.



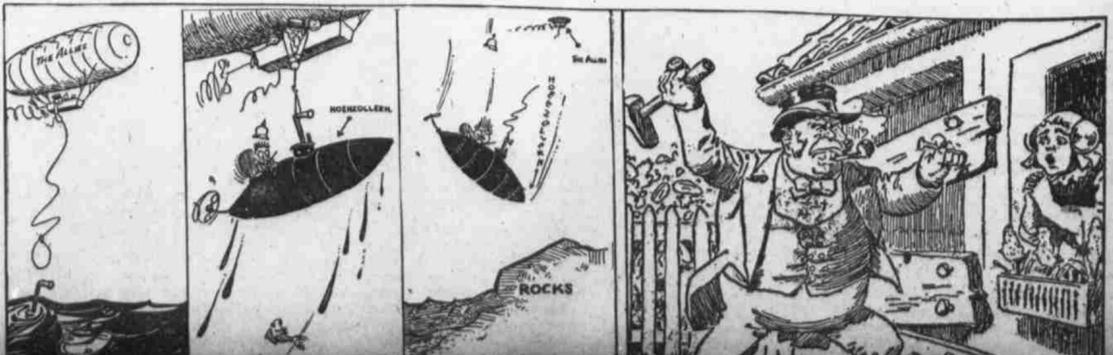
SALUTING OUR ALLIES

Harding, in Brooklyn Eagle.



LET THEM GRIND EXCEEDING SMALL

Klinge, in Montgomery, Ala., Advertiser.



PRESENT-DAY WEATHER CONDITIONS AND A DIRTYBLE

Venart, in Aerial Age, New York.

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